(b) by when the work is, likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (*SHRI C.* K. JAFFER SHARIEF): (a) 90.

(b) Works are in various stages of progress and their completion will depend upon availability o£ funds in the corning years.

Manufaturt of coaches and Engines

4641. SHRI T. VENKATRAM REDDY;
SHRI G. PRATHAPA REDDY

'Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of coaches and engines manufactured in country evcrj-year:

(d) whether these are in accordance with the demand ;

(c) the details of the steps being taken by Government to improve the. dilapidated condition of coaches in most of tho trains; and

(d) whetha- there a proposal for privatisation of coach manufacturing?

THE MINISTER OF -RAILWAYS (SHRI C. K. JAFFER SHARIEF). (a) A statemeat is *attached* . (*See* be-

(b) Yes, Sir. The manufacture is considered adequafe to meet the requirements"of Indian Railways for coaches and locomotives

(c) On going steps taken by the Railways to ensure good condition of the coaches are:

Periodic inspection and majntcnance.

— replacement on age-cma-condition basis

— standardisation of maiotenancf infravfnicture

(d) There is no such proposal for the present.

Statement

production of coaches and locontotives for the last three yews

		1992-93	1993-94	1994-95
COACHES :				
Integral Coach Factory, Madras.		1023	1038	775
Rail Coach Factory, Kapurthala.		1115	1025	775
Bharat Earth Movers Ltd.		375	375	9
JESSOPS .		121	51	15
LOCOMOTIVES :				
Chittaranjan Locomotive Works, Chittaranjan.				
	Electric Loco	125	140	15
	Diesel Loco	50		-
Locomotive Works, Varanasi.				
	Diesel Loco	151	152	150
Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd.				
	Electric			10

NOTE :—Bharat Earth Movers Ltd., JESSOPS and Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd. are Public Sector Undertaking.